CHURCH SERVICES, &c., TO-MORROW.

CHRIST CHURCH—Service at 11 a. m. and 7½ p. m., by Rev. Mr. McKim.
St. Paul's Church—Service at 11 a. m. and 4p. m., by Rev. Dr. Norton.
GRACE CHURCH—Service at 11 a. m. and 7½ p. m., by Rev. Mr. Sprigg.
St. Mary's Church—Mass at 7 a. m., Mass and sermon at 11 a. m., and Vespers at 4 p. m.
FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—Preaching at 11 a. m., by Rev. J. W. Chickering.
SECOND PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—Service in the morning and at night, by Rev. Dr. White.

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METH. EPIS. CHURCH—Service at 11 a.m. and
p. m., by Rev. Mr. Beyer.

METH. EPISCOPAL CHURCH SOUTH—Sermon

in the morning and at night by Rev. J. Hoffman METH. PROT. CHURCH—Service morning and night by Rev. Mr. McGregor.

BAPTIST CHURCH—Sermon in the morning

by Rev. Dr. Leyburn, and at night, by Rev. Mr. Ryland.
GERMAN LUTHERAN—Service at 11 a. m. by Rev. Mr. Fleckenstein.
VILLAGE CHAPEL—No service.

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Young Man's Christian Association.—
Prayer meeting in the Meth. Prot. Church, at
4 p. m. Alms House services at 2½ p. m.
Jail 2½ p. m. Sunday School on the corner of
King and West sts. at 2½ p. m. Week Work—
Prayer meeting next Friday night at 7½ p. m.
in the room corner of King and West sts. Singing meeting at the house of H. W. Beadle, at 5½
p. m. Sunday afternoon. p. m. Sunday afternoon.

#### LOCAL NEWS.

RETURNED FOR HIS BRIDE.-A notice has heretofore appeared in the Gazette of the sudden disappearance of a man who had brought his bride here last week. He returned last evening on the Lynchburg train, and departed about two hours afterwards on the freight train for Bealton, taking his wife and her children with him. His name is E. Hall-the lady's, Matilda Bug. They both hail from Albemarle county, the lady being a young widow, with two children. They came here last week-the lady having in her possession about five hundred dollars in currency. The day after their arrival they left the children here and went to Washington and were married, the lady having purchased the hat, coat, vest, pants and boots, in which the groom was married. They returned here the same day and stopped at a boarding house on the corner of Prince and Henry streets, and the next day the groom departed without saying a word, and was never heard from until last night. The deserted bride bore his absence in the most philosophical manner, saying that "there were as good fish in the sea as ever came out of it," but the husband, when he returned, said he would pay her well for the light manner in which she had treated his leaving her.

COMMERCE OF ALEXANDRIA. - By the monthly report of the Bureau of Statistics, of the U. S. Treasury Department, for November, 1873, it is seen that 5 American vessels engaged in the foreign trade, of 1,664 tons, and with crews numbering 36 men, entered at this port, and that 2 of the same class of vessels, of 676 tons, and crews of 16 men, cleared. During the same wonth 20 steamers, of 10,211 tons, and crews numbering 310, and 2 sailing vessels, of 554 tons, and with crews of 14 men, engaged in the coastwise trade, entered this port, and the same number cleared. During the same month \$2,047 worth of foreign imports were received at this port from Canada, and \$5,008 worth of exports sent to the West ladies. For the 12 months ending November 30, 1873, the total value of foreign goods imported at this port was \$28,014, and the total value of domestic exports \$21,290. During ing, and only one lodger was accommodated at the month of December, 1873, the value of the station house last night. foreign goods imported at this port was \$1,121.

NEW GRAND JURY. - The new grand jury law provides that for two terms, in each year ter an illness of about ten days. of the Corporation Court, which terms, are to be designated by the court, by order entered tion in which the court is held shall be summoned, twenty days before the first day of the court, as grand jurors for that term. It further provides that upon the previous order of said court or of the judge thereof in vacation at any term there may be ten persons summoned as a grand jury for that term. Judge Lowe having issued an order for a grand jury for the April term of the court, the following persons have been summoned to serve as grand jurors for the term, the twenty four jurors previously summoned under the old law, being by the new law relieved from serving: -M. Bossart, C. W. Green, Lewis Stein, John Lannon, Wesley Avery, Louis Elelio, J. E. McGraw, A. C. Harmon, W. J. Emerson, and J. P. Agnew.

CITY SCHOOL BOARD. - Pursuant to adjournment, the Board was called to order a little alter 8, last evening, present: E. Snowden, jr., esq, chairman, and Messrs. Addison, S. F. Beach, Burke, Hopkins, Kemper, Neale, & Harmon will be promptly filled. Wheat and Whittlesey.

A resolution was immediately introduced authorizing the Committee on Finance and Accounts to purchase Mr. C. C. Bradley's building for school purposes, provided he would sell it at \$14,000; they arranging for the payments as in their judgment may seem best.

Mr. S. F. Beach opposed the purchase of the building unless it could be shown that no school house could be built within a year. Most af those present concurred with him, but thought building at present impracticable; and, after voting down all amendments, the original resolution was adopted, and the Board, at 9 p. m., adjourned.

WASHING AWAY OF A BRIDGE. - One span of the bridge of the Manassas branch of the Virginia Midland Railroad over North River, was washed away yesterday, by the rise in the river, which took place in consequence of the heavy rain of the preceding night. Some few of the passengers on the train which left here yesterday morning walked over the bridge, but it was swept away soon after they had crossed. The other passengers returned to Front Royal. Arrangements have been made for a transfer there until the damage can be repaired, which will probably consume a week or ten days.

Horse THIEF. - One of the hands employed at the Freestone Point fishing shore ran away, yesterday, taking with him a horse belonging to Mr. Jacob Faunce, valued at \$300. Detectives in this city were informed of the the!t, and made efforts to catch the thief, which, however, as yet, have been unsuccessful.

VESTRYMEN. - At an election for Vestrymen of St. John's Church, West End, held yesterday, the following candidates were selected: Cash Auger, Arthur Brown, A. W. Brown, Scott Crupper, Wm. Cowling, Orlando Studds, Gorge Studs, G. W. Studds, jr., John Bloxham and William Garner.

## PROPERTY SALES.

Green & Wise, Auctioneers, sold to-day, for F. L. Smith, surviving trustee, the lot of ground, buildings and machinery known as the Alexandria Distillery, located on the west side of Union street, between Princess and Oronoco, belonging to Conrad, Mason & Morris, to Wesley Make

Also for F. L. Smith, trustee, lots of ground on the north side of King street and west side of Patrick street, with three story frame house thereon, belonging to the estate of F. A. Marbury, to W. H. Marbury, for \$725—the lots subject to an annual ground rent of \$36.

Also, for the same trustee, a lot of ground, with frame tenement thereon, on the northwest torner of Water and Wilkes streets, belonging to the estate of F. A. Marbury, to Wm. N. Brown, tor \$355-said lot subject to an annual

and Cameron, subject to a ground rent of \$6 per annum to the city, belonging to Bartholomew Ahern, was sold to-day, by F. A. Kerby, Auctoneer, to G. A. Mushbach, for \$530.

#### LOCAL BREVITIES.

Some of the colored laborers living near West End, who have been doing nothing all the winter, refusing to work for the farmers because they expected to be employed in making the new reservoir of the Alexandria Water Works, were greatly disappointed when they found that the contractors for that work had brought their hands here from a distance, and have since been glad to obtain employment on

the neighboring farms. Mr. W. H. Starkman passed through this city last night on his way home from Shepherdstown to Big Lick. He was returning from the funeral of his father, who had dropped dead in his yard, and whose family had been made aware of his death by a dog which banged his tail against the door until it was opened by a lady, whose dress he caught in his mouth and led her to where the dead man was lying.

The condition of the Washington turnpike is such that hardly anybody will willingly pay toll for passing over it, and upon several late occasions the gate has been broken open. Last night Mr. L.: wis Peverill, from whom an attempt was made to collect toll, cut the gate down and went on, free, to Washington.

The pump at the intersection of Prince and West streets, which has been out of order, and consequently useless for sometime past, has at length been broken off close to the ground and carried off by fuel thieves, who doubtless thought it would never be repaired.

Capt. Joe Massey, keeper of the railroad ferry slip, accidentally fell overboard there yesterday afternoon white catching a line that was thrown at him from the scow, but escaped with no more serious injury than what may occur from a cold bath.

It is understood that stock to a sufficient amount has been subscribed for in the Alexandria Marine Railway Company, and that a site for the proposed yard will be selected at an early day and a first-class ship-yard be established here at once.

Charles Moulton, alias Chas. Williams, colored, an escaped convict from the penitentiary, was brought here to day from Winehester, where he was arrested, and locked up in jail until to-night, when he will be taken back to Richmond.

The steamer Lady of the Lake carried the Board of Public Works of Washington and some of the Congressional Committee investigating their conduct down the river to a shad bake to day, passing here about II o'clock with all her flags flying.

It was currently reported on the streets this morning that money sufficient to build a new Presbyterian Church, and pay a handsome salary to Rev. Dr. Bullock as paster of it, had been raised among the friends of the latter in

Owing to the late prevailing rains a consid erable current exists in the river. Some drift wood is passing down, and a large stake net at the forks of the channel, owned by Capt. Raynor, was carried away this morning.

Robert Jefferson, lately confined in jail here, was taken to Upper Mariboro to-day by the charged with great bravery by the Spanish Sheriff of Prince George's county, Md., where cavalry. On the first day the Cubans suffered he will be tried for stealing corn from Si Ad-

Mr. J. H. Haas, of Pennsglvania, who had lately leased the farm of Mr. Wolfe, on Federal Hill, near this city, died there yesterday, and his remains were torwarded to Philadel-

nor at any of the Magistrates' offices this morn-

Mr. Peter G. Henderson, an old and respected citizen, and for a number of years one of the City Assessors, died suddenly this morning af-

Two women, Margaret Lucas and her sister Jennie, were arrested to-day for implication of record, twenty-four citizens, of the Corpora- with Catharine Hull in swindling people by begging, and locked up for examination. Attention is directed to the sale of property,

under a deed of trust, to take place on Mon-

( !ENTRAL WOOD AND COAL YARD. WOOD AND COAL AND SAWED AND SPLIT WOOD.

Removal to north Columbus street two doors from King street. Lykens Valley Red Ash toal, egg size East Franklin \*\*

Locust Mountain W. A. Free Burning " stove size.

White Ash Chestnut All of the best quality, and for sale at the lowest market rates. Weight and measure guaranteed, and all orders left at the store of Messrs. Davy A. S. PERPENER.

ap 11 DISSOLUTION.

The firm of Mrs. JOHNSON and McINTOSH The firm of Mrs. JOHNSON and McINTOSH is this day dissolved by mutual consent. The business in the future will be conducted in the name of Mrs. C. M. JOHNSON, who is prepared to do MILLINERY and DRESS MAKING with promptness, and will be glad to receive the patronage of the people. All orders from the country promptly attended to.

ap 11-1m Mrs. C. M. JOHNSON.

FLOWER SEED! FLOWER SEED! The attention of the ladies is respectfully called to our large assortment of Fiower Seed received this day by HENRY COOK & CO.,

107 King street. T OST-A GOLD and HAIR SCARF PIN, for which the finder will be liberally re-warded by leaving it at this office. ap 11-3t

NEW ORLEANS MOLASSES, the genuine article, in store and for sale at 147 King st.

WM. F. BROOKES. ар 11

ROSE HILL PURE CIDER VINEGAR in store and for sale by WM. F. BROOKES, 147 King street.

SALAD DRESSING, prepared for table use, in store and for sale at 147 King st. ap 11 WM. F. BRCOKES. ap 11 NEW TEA!

NEW TEA!

FIFTY CENTS A POUND. Has the flavor of Green Tea.

Guaranteed fresh and pure. It will give satisfaction. Direct from China by the Overland route from the Pacific. Try it. N. W. BURCHELL,

1332 F street, Hooe Building. Washington, D. C. ap 1-2w

SHOVELS, FORKS, HOES and R

for the farm, and

GARDEN SETS FOR LADIES and CHILD-REN, for sale by JAS. F. CARLIN & SONS, US King street.

THE FIRST ANNUAL MEETING FALLS CHURCH LAND AND BUILDING ASSOCIATION
will be held at Crump's shop, in this place, on
the SECOND MONDAY IN APRIL, 1874, at

7½ o'clock p. m. SCHUYLER DURYEE, Secretary. Falls Church, mh 30-eotd\* PLASTERING AND WHITEWASHING.

PARRIS SIMMS,
A three-story frame house, with lot of ground, on the west side of Fayette street, between King and Cameron, subject to a ground rent of \$6 per and Cameron, subject to a ground rent of \$6 per and Cameron, subject to a ground rent of \$6 per and Cameron, subject to a ground rent of \$6 per and Cameron, subject to a ground rent of \$6 per and Cameron, subject to a ground rent of \$6 per and Cameron, subject to a ground rent of \$6 per and Cameron, subject to a ground rent of \$6 per and Cameron, subject to a ground rent of \$6 per and Cameron, subject to a ground rent of \$6 per and Cameron, subject to a ground rent of \$6 per and Cameron, subject to a ground rent of \$6 per and Cameron, subject to a ground rent of \$6 per and St. Asaph sts.

Opposite the Postoffice,

Is prepared to execute in the best manner and without inconvenience or dirt, Plastering, Ahern, was sold to-day, by F. A. Kerby, Auclands and Pointing at the lowest rates.

A LOR'S HURL BROOMS.

Image: Cor. Kirg and St. Asaph sts.

Opposite the Postoffice,

Opposite the Postoff PARRIS SIMMS,

#### TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

[SPECIAL DISPATCHES TO THE GAZETTE.]

The Disaster to the Tigress.

NEW YORK, April 11.-A dispatch from St. Johns, N. F., in relation to the accident on the sealing steamer Tigress gives the following report of the captain of the steamer Panther, the vessel which brought the intelligence to St. Johns: "On the 3d inst. the Panther was in long. 51° 15' west, lat. 50° 22' north, on her return to St. Johns. The "lookout" reported and after signalling her I ordered a boat to be in the city. lowered and went on board myself, when I discovered her to be the steamer Tigress, of Polaris fame. Her captain and chief officers were on deck when I got on board. I was then informed that on April 2d at 2 o'c'ock in the afternoon the vessel was shaken all over by a terrific explosion of her boiler which created great terror and confusion and the escaped steam completely enveloped every compartment below. In consequence all steam facilities had been destroyed and they had then been under sail against a head wind for twenty-four hours. When I reached the deck of the Tigress I observed that a number of men were engaged in carpenter's work, making up and nailing together a number of rough pine wood boxes. I asked the commander what they were for and he said they were designed for receiving the bodies of the unfortunete men who had been killed by the accident. On the day of the explosion,' said the captain to me, "the weather was dreadfully cold and a rough breeze blowing and a heavy swell on. A number of men had gone below after watch and had turned in on top of the boiler for warmth. Nineteen of the crew were reposing in this way when the erash occurred and some of them were literally scalded beyond recognition. The consternation was fearful. The two engineers were on duty at the time and both were killed." "We left them on the afternoon of the 3rd,

making for land under sail, and promised to report the disaster immediately on our arrival. I did not ascertain the names of the men, as all the officers of the Tigress appeared in great grief, and could give but few particulars.

The dispatch further says: Since the Captain's statement was made yesterday it was learn ed that the Tigress had arrived off the coast and had put into Bay Roberts where, in all probability, she will land her dead and wait for as sistance. After the Polaris matter had been disposed of the Tigress had been fitted out for a seal fishing trip and was returning south at the time with her "catch" when he the terribe disaster occurred.

#### The Late Fight in Cuba.

New York, April 11.-A letter from Havana says: "From the official statement of the late great battle at Guasimas, it appears that the First and Third brigades, under command of Brigadier Araninan, encountered the enemy on the 15th at Guasimas, standing severe action, which lasted until the 18th. The Cubans were great losses, and were obliged to retire, thus permitting the Spanish column to encamp on the battle field. The renewed attacks of the former on the 16th, 17th and 18th ceased entirely upon the arrival of Brigadier Bascones with two battalions and one piece of artillery. B scores took command of all the troops and There were no criminal cases at the Mayor's directed a march towards the capital of the per at any of the Magistrates' offices this mornfor the troops and interring the dead. In Gimaguayne the Cubans were beaten while attempting to stop the way. This was accomp-lished in a short space of time, the loss of the Spanish troops in engagement being one officer and six others killed and three officers and twenty-eight soldiers wounded. The bands of mids, &c., at insurgents at this encounter suffered greatly, leaving on the field their dead and various horses, besides arms and ammunition. In the action of Guasimas there were plenty of bodies left on the field, but the insurgents carried away very many. The Spanish loss was six officers and 88 soldiers killed, one chief, 19 officers and 89 soldiers wounded and one chief, sale at market prices by 13 officers and 108 men slightly wounded."

## Massachusetts Senatorship.

Boston, April 11.-The twenty first ballot for United States Senator was taken to-day with the following result: Whole number of votes, 236; necessary to a choice, 119; Dawes, 68; Hoar, 54; Curtis, 63; Adams, 14; Sanford, 7; Banks, 6; Washburne, 4; A. H. Bollock, 15; Coward Learned, 3; Judge Pittman and Whittier I each. The convention adjourned until

## Weather Probabilities.

Washington, April 11, 11 a. m. For the Middle States south to west winds with rain and snow north of the Alleghanies the winds shifting to northerly and possibly easterly to-night.

The Markets.

NEW YORK, April 11.--Stocks dull. Money 4. Gold 131. Flour firm. Wheat shade better.

Corn steady. BALTIMORE. April 11 .-- Vas., consolidated, 501; W. Va's, 103. Cotton quiet; low middlings 153. Flour firm and unchanged. Wheat firm and steady; white choice \$1.85; fair to prime do. 1.65a\$1.80; choice amber 1.83a\$1.85;

good to prime red 1.70.\$1.80; common to fair do. 1 50a\$1.60; Pennsylvania red 73a75; Ohio and Indiana do. 1 58a\$1.65; Western Spring 48a50 Corn active and stronger, white Southern 88; yellow Southern 80a82; mixed Western. new 84, old 871:88. Outs firm and scarce, Southern 63,66; Western 62,65. Rye firmer, at 95,8100. Hay unchanged. Provisions strong and buoyant and higher.

## BARGAINS IN PIANOS

I have now for sale the following fine 7 oct. SECOND HAND PIANOS: One beautiful 7 oct. Knabe & Co. for ......\$275 " .......... 225 " Reichenbach Rosenkrantz " ...... 150 These Pianos are warranted to be in perfect order, and to be at one-quarter less than their One 74 oct. New Rosewood New York-made

Piano, a splendid instrument, for \$350. Warranted for five years. V. BECKER, 112 King st. ac 9-1w SOMETHING NEW AND DELICIOUS-GRANULATED SWEET POTATO-NO housekeeper should be without it; unequalled

for Custards, Puddings, Pies and Cakes; for sale at 147 King street. WM. F. BROOKES.

CRUSADERS. Another assortment of the above and other styles of Parasols just received from the factory D. F. WITMER CO.

BLACK GRENADINES IRON BEREGES, assorted styles, and at all prices, just opened by ap 10 D. F. WITMER CO.

DRESS GOODS-Colored Alpacas, Zoyara Cloth, Australian Crape, Black Alpacas, &c., just opened by W. N. BERKLEY. COMATO CATSUP, by the gallon, quart

and pint, at 147 King street

ap 10

W. F. BROOKES. MORE CHEAP SUGARS received by

## Money is Scarce,

BUT CLOTHING IS CHEAP.

If you don't believe it, drop in at BLONDHEIM'S,
Corner King and Fairfax streets,
and see his goods and prices; His \$7 Suits are
really elegant. It is astorishing how low you
can rig yourself out in a stylish suit at
BLONDHEIM'S.

BLONDHEIM'S, Corner King and Fairfax sts.

#### Special Notice.

GENTS' EXTRA FINE BOOTS AND SHOES.

return to St. Johns. The "lookout" reported a steamer apparently moving only under sail. As we approached her it was discovered that she had her flags at half mast. Subsequently, and after signalling her I ordered a boat to be and steamer apparently moving only under sail. Slippers of every description, which we unhesitatingly recommend to be the very best on sale in the city.

We have just received a fresh supply of Gents' extra fine, hand-sewed Boots and Shoes, and Slippers of every description, which we unhesitatingly recommend to be the very best on sale in the city.

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### Ladies' Misses' and Children's Boots,

Shoes and Slippers. We are this day receiving a full line of La-lies', Misses' and Children's Boots, Shoes and Slippers, suitable for Spring and Summer, embracing all of the latest styles. We solicit purchasers to call and examine for themselves, as they will be sold at low prices.
ap 1 W. B. WADDEY, 74 King st.

#### 1. Schwartz & Co.,

Having just returned from New York, have now at their store, 89 KING STREET, the finest and best selected stock of

SPRING CLOTHING,

for men and youth's wear, ever before brought to this market, and are selling them wonderfully

Among them they offer good business suits for

Their assortment of new style HATS is at

Your inspection is solicited at SAREPTA CLOTHING HALL,

resent the best in the city.

89 King street. AMUSEMENTS.

MPROVED ORDER RED MEN OSCEOLA TRIBE, NO. 1, I.O.R.M., GRAND BALL, WITH A WAR DANCE, AT HARMONIE HALL,
ON THE EVENING OF TUESDAY, THE
12th INSTANT,
for the benefit of the widows and orphans of members of the Tribe.

#### CANDIDATES.

COL. WILLIAM KILGOUR having declined a re-election, I announce myself a candidate for the office of Commonwealth's Attorney for the city of Alexandria.

mh 31

S. C. NEALE.

TO THE VOTERS OF THE CITY OF ALL EXANDRIA—At the request of a number of my fellow-citizens, I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of Commonwealth's Attorney of the city of Alexandria at the approaching May election, subject to the action of the nominating convention of the Conservative party. If elected, I shall devote my time, energy and ability to the discharge of the legitimate duties of the office. mate duties of the office.

mh 30-tf JOHN M. JOHNSON. mh 30-tf

## HAIR GOODS!

We are now receiving our Spring Stock of REAL HAIR, which we will sell cheaper than ever. Call and see new Hair Switches at re-

duced prices at FERGUSON'S HAIR DEPOT,

## STAMPING! IMPORTANT TO Another lot of NEW PATTERNS, with

Braid and Embroidery Designs intermingled, suitable for Children's Piqua Suits; also Pyramh 14 FERGUSON'S HAIR DEPOT. LIVERPOOL SALT

2000 sacks DEAKINS' FINE SALT. 1500 " EVANS' FINE SALT: 3.00 " G. A. SALT. To arrive per barque Theodosius Christian, now due from Liverpool, direct to this port. For

HOOE & JOHNSTON. mh 14 NOTICE-The undersigned having qualified as Executors of the will of R. H. MILLER, hereby give notice to all persons indebted to his estate to make payment to them, and to all persons having claims against the estate to present the same, duly proven, for settlement.

E. J. MILLER, ap 2-eolm FRANCIS MILLER, Ex'rs.

NEW PARASOLS. Our new stock now opening. We get our supply of PARASOLS and UM-BRELLAS, direct from the manufacturer, and

price to look at our assortment. NOTICE-All persons having claims against Rev. JAMES L. KILLGORE, D.D., are hereby notified to present the same for payment to the undersigned, at the Farmers' and Mechanics' Savings Bank, No. 109 Prince street, Alexandria, Va., on or before May 1st, 1874. ap 4-w4w JEFFERSON TACEY.

invite all in want of a good article at the lowest

SUNDRIES—Tin Chamber Sets, a great va-riety; Plated Castors, new patterns; Ivory Handle Table and Tea Knives, Rogers' celebrated make; Plated Spoons and Forks, &c., just received and for sale low at 65 King street. mh 19-3m E. J. MILLER.

TURK'S ISLAND SALT. 5000 bushels T. I SALT, of beautiful quality; just received per brig Helen, from Turk's Is-For sale at market price by HOOE & JOHNSTON.

B. T. BABBITT'S SOAP POWDERS and McDonald's Washing Powders; B. T. Babbitt's Potash in pourd cans; also Concentrated Lye, the best made—for sale by GEO. MCBURNEY & SON, 166 and 176 King street.

EDEY'S CARBOLIC TROCHES—Just received a fresh supply of Edey's Carbolic Troches, for the cure of Coughs, Colds, Croup, Catarrh, Asthma and Diptheria. For sale by WARFIELD & HALL, Corner Prince and Fairfax streets.

DINNER AND TEA SETS, just received at 65 King street—Best English Stone China, White, Git and Decorated French China Dinner Sets, Moss Rose, Gilt and Plain Tea Sets, in great variety, for sale low. Call at mb 19 3m E J. MILLER'S. mh 193m

SEED OATS.

500 bushels HEAVY BLACK OATS.
125 "EXCELSIOR OATS. Suitable for seed. DAVY & HARMON. mh 17

A NILINE DYES, an equalled for simplicity, beauty and economy. We have twelve colors, from which over fitty shades can be obtained. All in liquid form. Price 25 cents per package. For sale by
mh 25 E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO.

Just received a fresh supply of BUCK'S PURE BRANDY, for medical purposes, which I am selling at fifty cents per bottle-warranted pure. W. FRANKLIN CREIGHTON,

TOILET SETS-White Granite Fancy Earth-enware and Decorated French China Toilet Sets, new and handsome styles, just received and Sets, new and nameson of for sale low at 65 King street.

E. J. MILLER.

WATTSON & CLARK'S

SUPER-PHOSPHATE, for Spring use, at manufacturs' prices. ap 3 R. M. LAWSON. WE KEEP constantly on hand an assort-ment of READY-MADE WORK, such

7th & D, WASHINGTON.

THE LARGEST!

MERCHANT

Washington, D. C., mh 30

OUR

7th & D, WASHINGTON.

## SPRING ANNOUNCEMENT!

WE HAVEJUST OPENED

HAVE NOW ON EXHIBITION

THE MOST FASHIONABLE!

AND THE FINEST STOCK OF

EVER DISPLAYED IN THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA.

AS AN EXAMPLE

OF THE INDUCEMENTS WE ARE EXTENDING,

We invite attention to an elegant line of

## FINE ALL-WOOL SUITS.

WHICH WE ARE OFFERING FOR \$10. \$10.....OUR TEN-DOLLAR SUITS.....

ARE FASHIONABLE. SIO......OUR TEN-DOLLAR SUITS.....

\$10 OUR TEN-DOLLAR SUITS \$10

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ARE WELL SHRUNK.

## BOYS' CHEAP, MEDIUM, SCHOOL AND DRESS SUITS

And we are prepared to make goods to order in the best and most skilful manner, guaranteeing entire satisfaction in all particulars.

MAKE AN EARLY INSPECTION OF OUR STOCK.

Corner 7th and D streets,

# GUANAHANI, AN IMPORTED NATURAL GUANO!

A GENUINE ANIMAL DEPOSIT. Imported only by the

(The Company guarantees that every cargo will be analyzed before it is offered for sale.)

[Letter of Professor P. B. Wilson, late Assistant of Baron J. Von Liebig.] CHEMICAL LABORATORY OF PROF. P. B. WILSON, No. 39 Second street,

to the farmer.

Being of Animal Origin, the organic matter has undergone partial decomposition, and it necessarily contains a valuable amount of HUMUS, which makes its fertilizing power much greater than fertilizers which are compounded largely of Peruvian Guano, which, beyond its Ammonia and small phosphatic value, has little or no power in absorbing from the atmosphere and retaining in the soil the moveable elements absorbed by moisture and brought down by the rains, as the

The late samples you sent me for analysis, from the deposit which you inform me you intend to ship from, show a decrease in phosphatic value, but a large increase in its Nitrogen compounds. I think, however, from previous observations of cargoes, that you may reason bly expect, that cargoes taken from where these samples were drawn, will materially improve in the saline compounds, (Phosphates, Alkalies and Magnesia.)

Respectfully, 50.

Respectfully, &c., UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA, West Philadelphia, Dec. 19, 1873.

From all the experiments which I have made of the Guanahani Guano, no doubt can exist that

[Letter from Ex-Governor Smith.] WARRENTON, VA., August 4th, 1873.

BETHEL ACADEMY, FAUQUIER CO., VA., July 24th, 1873.

Dear Sir: I used your Guano on my wheat last fall, and am highly pleased with it. Think it is as good as the high-priced Guanos. I have a good paying crop of wheat, and the best stand of grass I ever had, and this is the opinion of those who have seen both, notwithstanding the unfavorable winter and early spring. I shall use it again this fall. Yours. BENJ. F. SMITH.

[This crop of wheat, 28 bushels to the acre, was noticed in the Warrenton and Alexandria papers as the finest crop in Mr. Smith's county.] BETHEL ACADEMY, FAUQUIER CO., VA., July 24th, 1873.

WARRENTON, VA., July 17th, 1873.

I used your Guano on wheat last year, and consider it equal to any Guano I ever used. It

LEWIS SHUMATE.

BROAD RUN STATION, FAUQUIER CO., VA., Dec. 4, 1873.

Dear Sir: I left one row without your fertilizer, and used it on the next row. I used at the rate of 200 pounds to the acre. I had the corn carefully gathered separate, and found the result as follows: From the Guano row I shelled one bushel and nearly a half gallon; from the row without Guano I got a half bushel and not quite a quart; making fully double where I used Guano. The growth of stalk was not proportionately heavy—the strength seemed to go to the grain. I think it an excellent Spring fertilizer. The land I tried it on was quite thin. Yours, A. D. SMITH.

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CHEMICAL LABORATORY OF PROF. P. B. WILSON, No. 39 Second street,
Baltimere, December 1st, 1873.

Maj. N. M. TANNOR, President Guanahani Guano Co., Petersburg, Va.
Dear Sir: I have drawn samples of the Guano, as it has arrived in cargo lots, and find it exceedingly uniform in the amount of Phosphoric Acid it contains, namely, from 15 to 19 per cent.
This is combined with Lime, and is of Animal Origin, and readily assimilable by plants. It contains potential Ammonia and Nitric Acid, having a combined Nitrogen value equal to from 2 to 3 per cent of Ammonia, with the alkalies Potash and Soda, and valuable proportions of Sulphate of Lime. The whole forming a very desirable combination for all crops, and when applied to land, the crop receiving proper tillage, must, in my opinion, give as good results as any Guano offered to the farmer.

Guano you are now placing upon the market. All of the components of this Guano are very soluble in the soil, and possess such physical properties as to render it at all times and under all cir-

P. B. WILSON, Analytical and Consulting Chemist.

Maj. N. M. TANNOR, Petersburg, Va.

Dear Sir: In compliance with your request, I have analyzed sample of "Guanahani Guano' and have made additional examination of an average sample from a lot of 300 tons, the result of which I beg to embrace in the following: The Guano is a brownish powder, with lumps of combinations of Lime with Carbonic, Phosphoric and Nitric Acids. It contains a considerable quantity of water, (about 20 per cent) and when dried, is a paler brown powder. The Guano is evidently of animal origin, and the minute bones, which were discovered in the same, indicate that it is the result of the decay of bats, mice, etc. The quantity of organic matter, which is still present, is about 12 per cent, and this yields about 2½ per cent of Ammonia. A portion of the Nitrogen is present, as Nitric Acid, of which about 3 per cent were found. All the Nitrogen present would be equivalent to about 3½ per cent of Ammonia. The Phosphoric Acid in the Guano averaged about 12½ per cent, equal to 27.3 per cent of Bone Phosphate. A considerable quantity of the Phosphoric Acid, however, is present, as so called neutral Phosphate of Lime, which, being slightly soluble in water, renders the Guano as quick in its action, as a corresponding quantity of Super-Phosphate would do. The small percentage of potash, which was found in the analysis, adds to its value.

it is valuable manure. Dear Sir: The extraordinary character of the season—a rain almost every day—puts it wholly out of my power to form an estimate of your Guano. The crops of corn and rutabagas, to which it was applied, look very fine. Yours truly, WM. SMITH.

pleases me well.

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